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TITLE OF INVENTION: A METHOD FOR SELECTING TRASFORMED PLANT CELLS USING ETHIONINE AND CYSTATHIONINE GAMMA SYNTHASE AS THE SELECTION AGENT AND MARKER GENE

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